

Chambers of District Judge Allen Sharp

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Allen Sharp
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1932
Education: George Washington 1954 BA; Indiana 1957 JD; Butler 1986 MA
Began Service: November 1, 1973
Appointed By: President Richard M. Nixon
Political Affiliation: Republican

Judicial: Judge, Indiana Court of Appeals (1969-1973)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1957-1968)

Military Service: United States Air Force Reserve (1957-1984)

Current Memberships: Indiana Judges Association; Indiana State Bar Association; Seventh Circuit Bar Association

Staff

Law Clerk **Christina A. Ori** (574) 246-8174
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Chambers of District Judge Rudy Lozano

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Rudy Lozano
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1942
Education: Indiana 1963 BS, 1966 LLB
Began Service: March 1988
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Legal Practice: Spangler, Jennings, Spangler & Dougherty (1966-1988)

Military Service: United States Army Reserve (1966-1973)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Trial Lawyers Association; Federal Bar Association; Federal Judge's Association; Hispanic Bar Association of Northwest Indiana; Indiana State Bar Association; National Hispanic Bar

Staff

Career Law Clerk **Rob Kinsella** (219) 852-3600
Education: Bowling Green State 1998 BA;
Valparaiso 2001 JD
Career Law Clerk **Jennifer Ortiz** (219) 852-3600
Education: Valparaiso 2002 JD
Career Law Clerk **Kendra Shearer** (219) 852-3600
Education: Trinity U 1995 BA; Illinois 1998 JD
Courtroom Deputy Clerk **Ima Rivera** (219) 852-3600
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Chambers of District Judge Philip P. Simon

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Philip P. Simon
District Judge

Date of Birth: July 7, 1962
Education: Iowa 1984 BA; Indiana 1987 JD
Began Service: March 31, 2003
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Government: Assistant U.S. Attorney and Chief, Criminal Division, Northern District of Indiana, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, William J. Clinton Administration (1999-2003); Assistant U.S. Attorney, Indiana Northern District, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, George H.W. Bush Administration (1990-1997); Assistant U.S. Attorney, District of Arizona, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, William J. Clinton Administration (1997-1999)

Legal Practice: Associate, Kirkland & Ellis (1987-1990)

Nonprofit: Adjunct Professor of Law, School of Law, Valparaiso University (1996-1997); Adjunct Professor of Law, School of Law, Valparaiso University (1999-2000)

Chambers of District Judge Theresa L. Springmann

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Theresa L. Springmann
District Judge

Education: Indiana 1977 BA; Notre Dame 1980 JD
Began Service: June 24, 2003

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable James T. Moody, United States District Court for the Northern District of Indiana (1980-1984)

Judicial: Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Indiana (1995-2003)

Legal Practice: Partner and Member, Spangler, Jennings, & Dougherty (1984-1995)

Current Memberships: Allen County Bar Association; American Bar Association; American Inns of Court; Indiana State Bar Association, Fellow; Federal Bar Association

Staff

Law Clerk **Vilius Lapas** (260) 423-3053
Began Service: August 2003
Law Clerk **Benjamin Rolf** (260) 423-3058
Began Service: August 2005
Career Law Clerk **Maci Doden** (260) 423-3052
Began Service: June 12, 2003
Education: Valparaiso 1998 JD

Chambers of Senior Judge William C. Lee

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1300 South Harrison Street, Fort Wayne, IN 46802
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William C. Lee
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1938
Education: Yale 1959 AB; Chicago 1962 JD
Began Service: August 19, 1981
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Government: Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, State of Indiana (1963-1969); Chief Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, State of Indiana (1966-1969); United States Attorney, Northern District of Indiana, United States Department of Justice (1970-1973)

Judicial: Chief Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Indiana

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1962-1964); Partner, Parry, Krueckeberg & Lee (1964-1970); Partner, Hunt, Suedhoff, Borrer, Eilbacher & Lee (1973-1981)

Current Memberships: Allen County Bar Association; American Bar Association; American College of Trial Lawyers; Federal Bar Association; Indiana State Bar Association; Seventh Circuit Bar Association

Staff

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Chambers of Senior Judge James T. Moody

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James T. Moody
Senior Judge

Education: Indiana 1960 AB, 1963 LLB
Began Service: February 24, 1982
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan
Political Affiliation: Republican

Academic: Faculty, Business Law, Indiana University (1977-1980)

Government: City Attorney, City of Lake Station & City of Hobart (Indiana) (1964-1973)

Judicial: Judge, Indiana Superior Court, Lake County (1973-1979); Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Indiana (1979-1982)

Staff

Law Clerk **Raagnee Beri** (219) 852-3460
Education: George Washington 2004 JD
Law Clerk **Rayna Matczak** (219) 852-3460
Education: Chicago-Kent 2005 JD
Career Law Clerk **Greg Opfel** (219) 852-3460
Education: Notre Dame 1985 JD

Chambers of Magistrate Judge Andrew P. Rodovich

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Andrew P. Rodovich
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1948
Education: Valparaiso 1970 BA, 1973 JD
Began Service: May 3, 1982
Term Expires: May 3, 2014
Political Affiliation: Republican

Government: Chief Deputy Prosecutor, State of Indiana (1979-1982)

Judicial: Referee, Hammond City Court

Legal Practice: Partner, Hand, Muenich & Rodovich (1973-1978)

Current Memberships: Council of United States Magistrates; Indiana Bar Association; Lake County Bar Association

Staff

Law Clerk **Kevin Warren** (219) 852-6604
Education: Valparaiso 2006 JD
Secretary **Diane Markley** (219) 852-6600

Chambers of Magistrate Judge Roger B. Cosbey

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Roger B. Cosbey
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1950
Education: Western Michigan 1972 BA; Toledo 1975 JD
Began Service: January 3, 1990
Term Expires: January 2, 2014

Judicial: Judge, Indiana Superior Court, Noble County (1982-1990)

Legal Practice: Heckner & Associates (1975-1981)

Military Service: United States Army Reserve (1972-1992)

Current Memberships: Allen County Bar Association; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; Indiana State Bar Association; Benjamin Harrison American Inns of Court

Staff

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Education: Indiana 1986 BS, 1993 MBA;
Indianapolis 1999 JD